

LEAD-BASED PAINT RENOVATION INFO:

What is the Lead-Based Paint Renovation, Repair, and Painting Program (RRP)?

- The Lead-Based Paint Renovation, Repair, and Painting Program is a federal regulatory program affecting contractors, property managers, and others who disturb painted surfaces.
- It applies to residential houses, apartments, and child-occupied facilities such as schools and day-care centers built before 1978.
- It includes pre-renovation education requirements as well as training, certification, and work practice requirements.
 - Pre-renovation requirements are effective now.
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- Renovation is broadly defined as any activity that disturbs painted surfaces and includes most repair, remodeling, and maintenance activities, including window replacement.
- The program includes requirements implementing both Section 402(c) and 406(c) of the Toxic Substances Control Act (TSCA).
(www.epa.gov/lead/pubs/titleten.html)
- EPA's lead regulations can be found at 40 CFR Part 745, Subpart E.